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Attorney Docket No. 020431.0980

In Re Application of:

JOHN FORS

Serial No.: **09/684,075**

Filed: **08 OCTOBER 2000**

For: **SYSTEM FOR PLANNING A NEW
PRODUCT PORTFOLIO**

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§ Examiner: **AKIBA K. ROBINSON-BOYCE**

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§ Confirmation No.: **2874**

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§ Art Unit: **3639**

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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION FOR RESPONSE WITHIN THE FIRST MONTH

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Sir:

Filed herewith is Applicant's Notice of Appeal. The Applicant hereby requests a one-month extension of time, until 25 May 2005, to respond to the 25 January 2005 Final Office Action.

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Respectfully submitted,

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